

REMARKS

This is intended as a full and complete response to the Office Action dated March 26, 2010 ("Office Action"), having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on September 15, 2010.

In the Office Action, the Examiner considers all of the claims, except for claims 3-4, 10-11, 17 and 31-81, as allowable, since they are directed to non-elected subject matter. Applicants would like to thank the Examiner for considering claims 1-2, 5-9, 12-16, 18-26, 28-30 and 82-83 as allowable.

In response, claims 31-81 have been cancelled without prejudice. Applicants reserve the right to subsequently take up prosecution of the claims as originally filed in this application in a continuation, a continuation-in-part and/or a divisional application. Please reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below.

Further, Applicants would like to ask the Examiner to consider claims 3-4, 10-11, 17 and 31 as allowable, since they depend from claim 1 and is generic to those claims. (See 37 CFR 1.141). To that end, claim 31 has been amended to now depend from claim 1.

An information disclosure statement is also being filed herewith to submit US Patent No. 4,845,686. US Patent No. 4,485,686 was submitted on August 2, 2006, instead of US Patent No. 4,845,686. We recently discovered this typographical error and are therefore submitting the correct reference citation herewith. We are also submitting other references from related cases.

Having addressed all issues set out in the Office Action, Applicants respectfully submit that claims 1-26 and 28-31 are in condition for allowance and respectfully request that the claims be allowed.

Respectfully submitted,

/Ari Pramudji/ Date: September 15, 2010
Ari Pramudji
Registration No. 45,022
Pramudji Law Group PLLC
1800 Bering, Suite 540
Houston, Texas 77057

Telephone: (713) 468-4600

Facsimile: (713) 980-9882

Attorney for Assignee